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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the Response to the Office Action dated June 7, 2004. Enclosed please find the following documents relating to the application:

- 1. a Response including amended claims;
- 2. a Petition for Extension of Time along with a check for the extension fee;
- a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) with a check for the required fee;
- 4. a return postcard; and
- 5. an Express Mail Certificate.

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